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**NFL SAFETY MALCOLM JENKINS' BLITZ, BOW-TIES & BOURBON  
RAISED FRIENDS AND FUNDS TO SUPPORT PROGRAM EXPANSION**

PHILADELPHIA, PA – December 9, 2014 – The Malcolm Jenkins Foundation held its first annual Blitz, Bow-Ties & Bourbon fundraiser Monday, December 8 at the beautiful and historic Union Trust in Philadelphia. Guests enjoyed a melange of delicious chef tastings; live entertainment; fashion; collectibles; and connecting with Philadelphia Eagles Safety Malcolm Jenkins and his teammates - making it an evening to remember.

Proceeds from the evening will support the expansion of the Foundation's programs for youth in the Greater Philadelphia area. TMJF and its programs are committed to making positive change in the lives of youth, particularly in under-served communities. Its programs focus on character development, leadership, mentorship, education, health and wellness, life skills and recreation.

"Friend-raising and fundraising were the objective of our event," said Jenkins who is the Founder and Chairman of The Malcolm Jenkins Foundation. "I'm proud to call Philadelphia my new home and I want to do my part to help to ensure that innovative and impactful programs are available to youth, families and communities here to help to ensure they are successful and can thrive. Blitz, Bow-Ties & Bourbon will help us achieve that goal."

Food tastings were provided by several of the best chefs/restaurants in Philadelphia including Chip Roman/Treemont; Kevin Sbraga/SBraga's; Thomas Harkins/Bank & Bourbon; and Josh Lawler of Farm & Fisherman. Brian Bevilacqua, Bourbon Master from Bank and Bourbon, led a tasting reception of fine spirits.

Jenkins' teammates who were in attendance included Jeremy Maclin, Connor Barwin, Mark Sanchez, Brandon Boykin, Cary Williams, Emmanuel Acho and Brad Smith. Valarie

Adams & the Dimensions Band provided a great musical ambiance for the event, and Darrell Fisher amazed the guests with incredible magic and illusion.

The Malcolm Jenkins Foundation, established in 2010 will celebrate its fifth anniversary in June 2015. In addition to Philadelphia, programs are available in New Jersey, Ohio and New Orleans – all areas that have supported Malcolm throughout his life and career. For more information about the Foundation please visit [www.themalcolmjenkinsfoundation.org](http://www.themalcolmjenkinsfoundation.org).

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